

**Confirmation No. 5255 PATENT**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Ove Kornelius GUTTORMSEN

Serial No. : 10/597,711

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Title : **DEVICE FOR CONNECTING  
STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS**

Entity Status : Small Entity

Our Docket : RR-630 PCT/US (PE39619US01)

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action of December 19, 2008.

Applicant petitions for a one month time extension from March 19, 2008 to April 21, 2008 to submit this Amendment, since April 19, 2008 is a Saturday.

A Credit Card Payment authorization is provided with this Amendment for the one month time extension fee of \$60 (small entity).

Please charge any additional fees in connection with this Amendment to our Deposit Account No. 18-1743.

The claims pending in this application and any amendments to such claims are indicated in the following section entitled *Current Status of Claims*. Amendments to the Specification are indicated after the *Current Status of Claims*. A Replacement Sheet for Fig 3d of the drawings is attached.